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OF OPHTHALMIC NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASES

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT PURSUANT
TO 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, AND 1.98**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, Applicant submits the patents, articles, and other information referenced in the specification as filed and/or listed on the International Search Report. The references are listed on the attached PTO Form 1449. Also enclosed is a copy of the International Search Report.

Applicant requests that the listed patents, articles, and other information be considered during prosecution of this application and that they appear among the "References Cited" on any patent issuing herefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

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